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Rep. G. W. Porter's Campaign Statement For Re-election

It has been my privilege to represent the towns of the Eleventh Hampden District in the State Legislature for twenty-four years. Up to the present time West Springfield was included in the district, which was served by two representatives. In the forthcoming election, however, West Springfield will constitute a new district have one representative, will comprise Agawam, Southwick, Granville, Tolland, Blandford, Russell, Montgomery and Chester.

During my service in the Legislature, which is referred to on the ballot as the "General Court", I have been a member of the standing committee on Election Laws, Civil Service, Public Health, Public Welfare, and Taxation, thus acquiring a background of especial familiarity with these branches of state government. Having retired from private business, I have been able to devote full time to legislative work and the personal problems of constituents which related to state government.

The out-standing accomplishment of my legislative service is without doubt the recently enacted real-estate tax exemption for elderly persons of modest means, which provide substantial tax relief for home-owners who

are seventy years old or over. This legislation authorized what is probably the most effective tax relief in the country for senior citizens. I was able to secure its passage only after several years of hard work and over strong opposition. It establishes the important principle that the tax obligation of the average retired citizen to his community is much less than it was when he had children in school or college, plus the further fact that his



REP. GEORGE W. PORTER

Five Seniors Qualify In NMSQ Test

Five seniors at Agawam High School have been honored for their high performance on the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (NMSQT) given last spring. Each student who is endorsed by his school receive a formal Letter of Commendation signed by his principal and the president of the National Merit Scholarship Corporation.

Mr. F. T. Dacey, the school's principal, has announced that the commended students are: Linda L. Barafaldi, Charles J. Guyotte, Bruce W. Jozefiak, Judith M. Morrissey and Linda B. Van Heusen.

John M. Staknaker, president of the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, said: "Letters of Commendation are being awarded to 38,000 students throughout the country in recognition of their outstanding performance on the qualifying test. We wish to call attention in this way to their high academic achievement."

"Although they did not reach the status of Semifinalists in the current Merit Program, they are very capable students. The Semifinalists and Commended students together constitute about 2 percent of all high school seniors. This certainly signifies noteworthy accomplishment by all these bright young people."

"We urge the Commended students to make every effort to attend college, and to develop to the fullest their promise of future achievement. By doing so they will benefit both themselves and the nation."

LOST

During the summer at Phelps School playground — 2 small stuffed dogs. The little girl who owned them is still crying for them. Please return—call 733-3783

Hampden County GOP Fair Sunday

The Hampden County Political Fair, with state and county Republican candidates as the major attractions, will be held Sunday, Oct. 18, from 1 to 5 at the Foster Farm, 1575 Wilbraham Rd., Springfield.

Arrangements are being made to handle several thousand people under a big tent so that the affair can go on, rain or shine.

The following candidates will speak briefly and then answer questions from the audience: John A. Volpe, running for governor; Elliot Richardson for Lieutenant governor; Edward Brooke for attorney general; Wallace Crawford for secretary of state; Robert Hahn for treasurer; Elwynn Miller for auditor; Walter Aranow for governor's councillor and Raymond Turner for register of deeds.

Republican candidates for state senator and state representative from all county districts will also make appearances.

An old fashioned country fair atmosphere will prevail at the Foster Farm with music, food and refreshment booths, games of skill and pony rides. The public is invited to spend all or any part of the afternoon at the event.

Reception To Honor Rev. O'Neil Oct. 25

The parishioners of St. John the Evangelist Church plan with the aid of its societies on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 25th, to hold a reception to tender a tribute to Rev. Joseph O'Neil.

Father O'Neil, a native of Chicopee, a graduate of Holy Cross College and Grand Seminary of Montreal, served since 1961 as a dedicated and devoted curate at St. John's. The people he served found him an exceptional member of the clergy. His outstanding efforts in the youth activities of the parish earned for him love and acclaim. While at St. John's parish Father

O'Neil was also associated with the Catholic Observer staff. He is now furthering his studies at the Columbia University in New York, where he is specializing in journalism.

Honorary Chairman for the reception is Rev. John P. Shannon, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church. General chairman is Mr. Agostino Bartolucci. Assisting him in the arrangements are: Mrs. Francis Capitanio, Mrs. J. Clifton Wright, Jr., Mrs.



REV. JOSEPH O'NEIL

Durant and Jeserski Enter Bryant College

The following students entered Bryant College in Providence, R. I., at the beginning of the fall semester; John Jeserski, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Jeserski of 378 North West St. Feeding Hills, and Richard J. Durant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Durant of 91 Fairview St. Agawam. Both boys are graduates of Agawam High School, and are studying business administration and accounting.

Providence Mother House Day Of Recollection Oct. 17

HOLYOKE—A day of recollection for young women — high school seniors, nursing students, college students and others of that age group who are working — will take place at the Providence Mother House on Saturday, Oct. 17.

Sister Mary Ruth of the Sisters of Providence, program chairman, said: "The day of recollection is specifically designed for those who want to do more for Christ; those who are thinking in terms of serving Him in religious life, and those who want to serve but are not planning to dedicate their life to Him in religion. The day of recollection is open to all girls who are interested."

The theme for the day will be "The role of the religious in the world today."

There will be an opportunity to learn from a postulant, a novice, a junior professed and a finally professed sister "just what the religious life is all about."

"This is intended as an effective means of gaining insight and a better idea of religious life," Sister Mary Ruth said. "Just what is the difference between a dedication in the lay apostolate and the role of the sister? What do I have to 'give up' if I become a sister? How

hard is religious life? What kind of person must I be to qualify? What is the training program and how long is it? What would I do in terms of occupation if I were a sister? These are just a few of the questions that will be answered."

Rev. Walter Gaffney, chaplain at Farren Memorial Hospital in Montague City, one of the hospitals operated by the Sisters of Providence, will direct the day of recollection, which will begin at 9 a.m. with a registration. A conference will take place at 10 a.m. and a panel discussion of the life of a sister is scheduled for 11 a.m. There will be a dialogue

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South School PTA Program For Year

The theme for 1964-65 program of South Street School Parent-Teachers Association will be "Parents and Teachers Working Together," under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Waytovich, co-presidents.

An Open House will be held Nov. 18, at which time parents will have the opportunity of visiting the classrooms, seeing their children's progress and discussing any problems with the teaching staff.

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Draghetti Named President Of State Sealers Group

Louis Draghetti of Senator Avenue, Agawam was elected president of the Massachusetts Weights and Measures Association, at the 69th annual conference, held in October at the White Cliffs of Plymouth, Plymouth, Mass.

This association is the oldest of its kind in the country. The

executive committee has advised the State Legislative Committees as to the merits and demerits of proposed legislation in an ever-continuing effort to keep our Massachusetts laws pertaining to weights and measures the finest of any State in the Union.

Mr. Draghetti is the only president ever elected from this area.

Harold Fischer, Mrs. David Galiano, Mrs. Alexander Toczko, Mrs. Edward F. Moriarty, Mrs. Richard Gingras, J. Clifton Wright, Jr., Richard Rieker, Mrs. Armand Phaneuf, James Foley, Fred Sorensen, Miss Aurora Kusick and a host of others. Financial committee members are: Mrs. Ernest McLean, Mrs. Thomas McGovern and Mr. John Polopek.

Mr. J. Frank Donovan will preside as Master of Ceremonies and is in charge of the arrangements to present a purse from the parishioners to Father O'Neil.

Persons wishing to attend this tribute are invited to St. John Church Hall from 2 until 5 p.m.

Jr. Women's Club Scavenger Hunt Tues.

The October meeting of the Agawam Junior Women's Club will be held on Tuesday evening, the 20th. Members are asked to meet in the parking lot of the Captain Charles Leonard House at 7.15, where instructions will be given for an hour long "Scavenger Hunt". Prizes will be awarded to the winning scavenger team. Following the hunt, Mrs. Bruno Maule, president, will conduct the business meeting.

Lyric soprano Dolores Asselin will bring the session to a close with a presentation of Broadway show hit tunes. Mrs. Asselin is well known throughout the area having performed with local opera groups and the concerts at Forest Park.

Bazaar Chairmen Meet Tonight

A meeting of the chairmen for the Christmas Bazaar sponsored by St. John the Evangelist Guild will be held tonight at 8 in the home of Mrs. Natale Cirillo, 1118 Main St., Agawam.

CHURCH NEWS

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin T. Lockhart,
Pastor
Mrs. Frank Merchant,
Organist-Choir Director
Mrs. Barbara Briggs,
Church Secretary

Thursday: 1:30 p.m. — Ella Bond Circle meet at home of Mrs. Elsie Hastings, School St.; 6:30 p.m. Choralier Choir rehearse at church; 8 p.m. Senior Choir rehearse at church.

Friday: 3 p.m. — Melody Choir rehearse at church.

Saturday: 6:30 p.m. — Appreciation Banquet for all who worked at the Exposition Food Tent.

Sunday 9 and 11:10 — TWO MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES . . . Rev. Lockhart will preach at both services. Celestial Choir sing first service and Senior Choir sing second service; 9:30 and 10 a.m. Church School for all; Junior and Senior BYF meet at church.

Monday: 8 p.m. — "Learning How To Teach" at the parsonage. This is a course for all interested in becoming better teachers in the church school.

Tuesday: 7 p.m. — Celestial Choir rehearse at church; 8 p.m. An informative meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Magovern in regard to the Plans and Construction of the church

Wednesday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. . . . Trading Post open; 7 p.m. ABC Bell Ringers rehearse at church; 8 p.m. An informative meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Major in regard to the Plans and Construction of the church.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Floyd C. Bryan, Minister
Mrs. Andrew G. Toussaint,
Minister of Music

Thursday, 12 noon, — Ladies Aid noon luncheon.

Friday, 7 p.m. — Boy Scouts; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir; 8 p.m. Square Dance.

Saturday, 8:45 p.m. — Intermediate Choir rehearsal; 9:45 p.m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

Sunday, 9 a.m. — Church School Nursery-Grade 6; Church at Morning Worship — Rev. Bryan, preaching; 10 a.m. Adult Bible Class and Church School Grades 7-12; 11 a.m. Church School Grades Nursery-6; 11 a.m. Church at Morning Worship — Rev. Bryan, preaching; 11 a.m. Infant Baptism.
6:30 p.m. — Senior High choir

SPRINGFIELD, MASS. — Springfield College officials have announced that there will be an "open house" in the new men's dormitory — International Hall — on Sunday, Oct. 18, 1964 from 1-4 p.m. The dormitory will be open to interested people in the Springfield area. The college will provide student guides who will conduct tours throughout the building. These tours will include a typical floor and sample rooms. Visitors will also see the three lounges including the one on the 10th floor.

rehearsal.

7:30 p.m. — Council meeting.

Wednesday, 8 p.m. — Meeting with prospective members.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Rev. and Mrs. Honami, Missioaries, from Japan, guest speakers.

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Rev. Arthur N. Sweeney
Mrs. Fred Nardi, Sr. Organist

Thursday—7 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Friday—7 p.m. Junior High Pilgrim Fellowship meeting in Griswold Hall. All youngsters in the 7-8 grades are welcome to attend.

Saturday—10:30-12 noon Middle High R. E. Class.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Church School; 11 a.m. Worship Service; 2:30 p.m. All church planning conference; 7:30 p.m. Officers and boards committee meeting

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

Rev. Dominic A. Ruscetta,
CPS Rector.
Rev. James T. Cunningham,
CPS, Assistant.

Mass Schedule

Sundays: 6, 7, 8:30, 10:30 a.m.
Weekdays: 7 a.m.
Tuesday—7:30 p.m. St. Anthony Devotions.

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Saturday — 9 to 10:30 a.m. Church School; 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. WSCS public smorgasbord.

Sunday — 10 a.m. Worship Service.

Monday — 7:30 p.m. Official board meeting at church.

Week of Oct. 18-25 will be observed as WEEK OF WITNESSING—Fall Visitation program.

VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Frank E. Dunn,
Guest Minister
Mrs. John Cesan, Secretary
Mrs. John MacPherson
Mrs. Harry Prior,
Music Directors

Sunday — 10 a. m. Worship Service at Storowton Church at Eastern States Exposition grounds; 6:30 p.m. Youth organization meeting at Storowton.

The drawing for the afghan took place Monday evening at the Friendly Circle meeting of the Valley Community Church. Mrs. Robert E. Hamborg of 142 Santa Barbara St., Springfield, was the winner. Proceeds from the drawing are to be used for a Baptismal Font.

South PTA . . .

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ers. The Agawam School Committee will have a panel and discussion period on Jan. 13th.

Mr. D'Antonio, Guidance Counselor at the Agawam Junior High will give a talk on "The Transition from Sixth Grade to Junior High School" on March 10th.

On April 14th Dr. Walter English, Professor at Springfield College will speak on "Interracial Group Relations."

The season will conclude with the annual banquet and installation of officers on May 12th.

Other executive officers to serve with Mr. and Mrs. Waytovich, are Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Moriarty, vice-president; Mrs. Dorothy Bruneau, secretary; Mrs. Paul V. Pappas, treasurer; Mrs. Julia Crawford, principal and Mrs. Helen Jones, teacher advisor.

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Third National Bank Report

Third National Bank of Hampden County earned \$1.80 per share during the nine months ending September 30, compared with \$1.66 per share in the same 1963 period, Russell B. Neff, president, reported today. There are 500,000 Third National shares outstanding.

Mr. Neff said the bank's total operating income rose to \$4,917,782 for the three quarters, from \$4,618,012 during the three quarters ending September 30, 1963.

Net operating income before taxes for this year's nine months was \$1,608,589, and after allowing \$710,481 for income taxes the net income was \$898,108. In the nine months of 1963 net operating income was \$1,477,122, of which taxes accounted for \$546,575, with new income amounting to \$830,547.

Mr. Neff reported that assets of Third National on September 30 were \$131,419, 728, compared with the year-ago figure of \$130,280,320.

Loans showed an increase of \$7,123,112, going from \$59,844,229 on September 30 a year ago to \$66,967,341 on the recent September 30.

Deposits — both demand and time — totaled \$114,109,617 on September 30, against \$111,704,576 on September 30, 1963.

Capital funds — capital stock, surplus and undivided profits — were \$11,814,473 on September 30, compared with last year's \$11,445,578.

Mr. Neff described the first three quarters as "very satisfactory for Third National Bank. All of our departments are reporting good steady growth, and all of our branch offices report increased activity. On the basis of the first nine months I anticipate that our full year will be very favorable."

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- Town Moderator, 1938 to 1953
- Vice-President, Hampden County Improvement League
- Member of the Agawam Lions Club
- Has Served on the Legislative Committees on Taxation, Election Laws, Civil Service, Public Health and Public Welfare
- Devoted Full Time to Legislative Work and District Needs
- His Experience Will Be at Your Service



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V F W POST 1632 AGAWAM, MASS.

Lite-A-Bike

The VFW Lite-A-Bike program is now ended and members of Post 1632 and Scouts who participated feel satisfied that through their efforts, 782 children now have a measure of safety when riding their bicycles.

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Although the turnout was not as large as anticipated we are satisfied. We urge the parents of children whose bicycles were not reflectorized to go to the Agawam Police Station and pick up the tape, the VFW turned over all remaining tape to Safety Officer Sgt. John Chriscola. I personally thank each and everyone who helped on this program and I know that each shares the same good feeling for a worthwhile community service well done.

Veteran Day Program

The Western Mass. County Councils are planning a large Veteran Day program and parade at Leed Hospital on Nov. 11th. There will be a parade, hospital ward visits and a variety show. The purpose of the event is to remind our citizens that the Veterans of Foreign Wars "Honor the Dead by Helping the Living". More on this program to follow.

Auxiliary News

On Saturday, Oct. 17th the Auxiliary will hold their second Saturday night supper. Stella Longhi will head the committee with Margaret Ardizoni, Theresa Tammi, Alice Methe and Emile

Dias assisting. The supper will feature Polish golumpki (stuffed cabbage). Supper will be served from 6 to 8 p.m., and the public is invited.

County Council Meeting

County Council meeting of VFW Auxiliaries will be held on Sunday, Oct. 18 at 2.30 p.m., at the Southwick VFW Post Home. Delegates to attend are Theresa Tammi, Helen Baker, Katherine Dickinson, and Francis Link, Venetta Snyder, president.

Dates To Remember

Oct. 17 — 6 to 8 p.m. Auxiliary Saturday Nite Supper.
Oct. 18 — 2.30 p.m. Auxiliary County Council meeting.
Oct. 19 — 8 p.m. Post meeting.
Brady D. Synder
Commander

Hatin On Caribbean

"Goodwill" Tour

CARIBBEAN (FHTNC) — Marine Private First Class James D. Hatin, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hatin of 41 South Alhambra Cir., Agawam, is serving in the Caribbean area with the Third Battalion (Reinforced), Second Marine Regiment, Second Marine Division, homebased at Camp

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Lejeune, N. C.

His unit, a part of Battalion Landing Team 3/2, is deployed on an extended operational and "good-will" tour of the Caribbean. He will visit such ports as Ponce and San Juan, Puerto Rico;

St. Thomas and St. John, Virgin Islands; and Kingston, Jamaica, in addition, it will conduct amphibious training exercises on the island of Vieques, Puerto Rico, which is the Second Division's "Caribbean Testing Ground."

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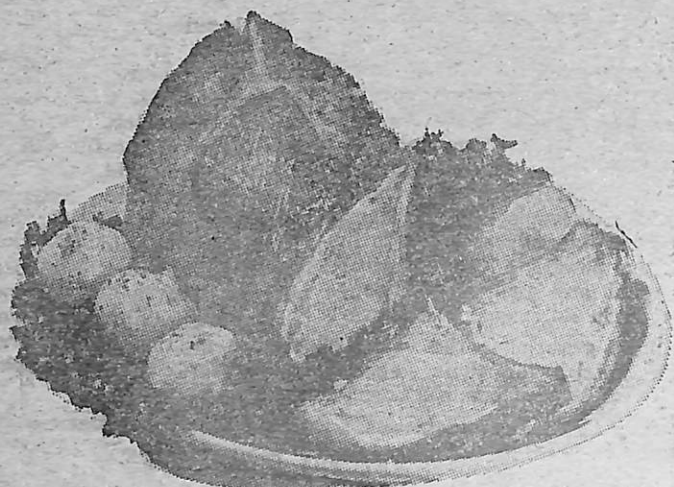
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Rep. Porter . . .

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which is required for certain types of farming was adding materially to the already high taxes of Massachusetts farmers.

Among the important measures enacted during this two-year session which I supported were the reorganization of the Department of Public Works, the consolidation of five state agencies into the new Department of Commerce, the Accelerated Highway Program of 1963 under which \$10,000,000 is to be spent west of the Connecticut River, and the provision for lower auto insurance rates for careful drivers.

I supported the continuance of the Crime Commission; opposed the financing of mass transportation in the Boston area by a state-wide tax, since it is a regional problem; opposed the bill to force employers to finance against themselves; voted to limit the powers of the Executive Council and requested improvements in Robinson State Park.

I am grateful to the voters of the district for their generous support at previous elections. If

re-elected on November third, I will make every effort to merit their continued confidence.

Mother House . . .

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mass prior to dinner at 1 p.m. The hour of 2 p.m. will mark the beginning of private prayer or individual conferences with priests or sisters, a question time will take place at 3 p.m. and the day of recollection will end with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Among the missions of the Sisters of Providence are Farren Memorial Hospital in Montague City, Providence Hospital in Holyoke, St. Luke's Hospital in Pittsfield, Mercy Hospital in Springfield, St. Vincent's Hospital in Worcester, Our Lady of Providence Home for Children in West Springfield, the Holyoke Day Nursery in Holyoke, St. Luke's Home in Springfield, Holy Child Guild in Westfield, Mount St. Vincent in Holyoke and the Beaven-Kelly Home. The community maintains a house of studies in the Boston area for the sisters who are attending colleges there.



October 19

through

October 23

SENIOR HIGH

Monday: Baked ham w/pine-apple, parslid potato, applesauce, hot date muffins, brownies, milk.

Tuesday: Elbow macaroni with meat sauce, garden salad, Italian roll w/butter, iced cherry square, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, hamburger on roll, french fries, buttered carrots, peanut butter honey sandwich, orange cake w/butter icing, milk.

Thursday: Oven fried chicken, mashed potato, buttered peas, cranberry sauce, bread/butter, ice cream cup, milk.

Friday: Juice, pizza w/tomato, cheese sauce, carrot-celery sticks, peanut butter honey sandwich, raspberry square, milk.

JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, hot dogs in bun, baked beans, fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Ravioli in sauce, cabbage-carrot salad, peanut butter cookies, peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Hamburg in gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered spinach, white cake, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger on bun, carrots, pineapple chunks, peanut butter sandwiches, milk.

Friday: Juice, tuna fish salad, potato chips, tossel salad, butter cake w/chocolate sauce, milk.

DANAHY

Monday: Orange juice, hamburger and roll w/relish, mustard, cole slaw w/green peppers, applesauce cake, milk.

Tuesday: Elbow macaroni with meat, tomato sauce, cheese wedge, green beans, bread/butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Mashed potatoes, beef w/gravy, peas/carrots, bread/butter, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Thursday: Tomato rice soup, meat sandwiches, celery-carrot sticks, fresh fruit, peanut butter cookie, milk.

Friday: Oven fried potatoes, tuna fish salad sandwiches, tossed

salad, cheese wedge, fruit cup, milk.

GRANGER

Monday: Macaroni and hamburger, tomato, meat sauce, tossed salad (lettuce, tomato, spinach greens), peanut butter sandwich, sliced peaches, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, grilled frank-furt on bun, relish, mustard, potato sticks, wax beans, pumpkin pie, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, minced ham and cheese sandwich, mustard, peanut butter sandwich, whole kernel corn, applesauce cake, milk.

Thursday: Fried chicken, parsley potato, cranberry sauce, diced carrots, rye bread/butter, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, grilled cheese sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, krinkle kut beets, cookies, pears, milk.

PEIRCE

Monday: Meat balls in tomato sauce, steamed rice, crinkle carrots, bread/butter, apple crisp w/cheese wedge, milk.

Tuesday: Citrus fruit juice, cheeseburgers, kernel corn, carrot stix, chocolate cake w/fudge icing, milk.

Wednesday: Oven fried chicken, parsley potatoes, butter green beans, peanut butter jelly sandwich, fruit cup (citrus), milk.

Thursday: Pork pie w/potato puff topping, buttered leaf spinach, cheese cube, bread/butter, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Friday: Baked macaroni with cheese and tomato, cole slaw w/grated carrots, peanut butter sandwich, peach shortcake with whipped cream, milk.

PHELPS

Monday: Grilled frankfurt on buttered roll, relish, mustard, buttered corn, cherry pie, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potato, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Wednesday: Citrus juice, chicken vegetable soup, peanut butter sandwich, carrot sticks, chocolate cake w/frosting, milk.

Thursday: Juice, grilled hamburger on buttered bun, buttered

green beans, apple, milk.

Friday: Citrus juice, baked beans, tossed green salad, buttered corn bread, cheese wedges, applesauce cake, milk.

ROBINSON

Monday: Orange juice, frank furt on buttered roll, mustard, relish, buttered carrots, cheese sticks, white cake w/chocolate sauce, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered peas, bread/butter, peanut butter sandwiches, fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday: Citrus juice, pizza w/cheese, tomato sauce, celery-carrot sticks, peanut butter cookie, fruit, milk.

Thursday: Spaghetti w/meat, tomato sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, pineapple, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, potato chips, tossed green salad, cherry crisp, milk.

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By REV. FRANK E. DUNN,
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Crime is universal in our nation. Every city and town has the problem in greater or lesser degree. The larger communities are beset with staggering increases in juvenile delinquency and adult crime. It was to some of these we journeyed in our three week trip into the middle west.

Leaders in municipal government, the judiciary, the clergy, public and private schools, industry, fraternal groups and service clubs, television, press and radio were usually invited. Groups numbered no more than fifteen in attendance which made it ideal for discussion purposes. Charts were shown revealing the crime index in each city and an organizational chart on TOTAL MOBILIZATION outlined the structure of the citizens' group needed to provide a solution to the problem.

The plan was rejected in Toledo and Indianapolis, leaders there feeling that current efforts were adequate to stem the rising tide of criminality. In Dearborn an open mind was revealed and a desire for further study of the problem and the answer was in evidence. Akron leaders were impressed with the Institute solution but were skeptical as to whether sufficient volunteers could be secured to man various facets of the operation. Through the Akron Community Council a study will be made of the problem and the Institute's answer and action may come within two to four months. It is our hope that Akron will ultimately conduct a two year Pilot Operation with our program.

Pittsburgh was the final stop on our trip and there leaders

Garceau Completes Basic Training



PARRIS ISLAND, S. C. (FH-TNC) — Marine Private Paul E. Garceau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Garceau of 39 Royal Lane, Agawam, completed recruit training Oct. 7 at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S. S.

The intensive training course includes drill, bayonet training, physical conditioning, parades and ceremonies and other military subjects.

Three weeks are spent on the rifle range where recruits fire the M-14 rifle and receive instruction in other basic Marine infantry weapons.

This recruit training prepares young Leathernecks for further specialized training or for duty with a unit of the Fleet Marine Force. They will report to Camp Lejeune, N. C., for combat infantry training.



The Agawam Lions Club is indeed very grateful to the people who stopped at our Bar-B-Que Chicken food tent at the recent Eastern States Exposition, and in spite of the decrease in attendance enabled the Club to do more business than last year. Four ton of chickens were used, in addition to 50 lbs. of coffee and 114 lbs. of butter during the nine day event. The supply of rolls, salad, and french-fried potatoes was fabulous . . . again many thanks for your help. Among our visitors were Carl Roessler, past international director, the State Secretary Wendell Ring, and District Governor Art Tinney, who incidentally will make his official visitation on Nov. 18 at a meeting to be held at the American Legion Home.

At the regular meeting last night, Program Chairman Raymond E. Harris introduced the guest speaker, Richard Pickett,

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president of Northampton Commercial College, whose subject was "Arctic Adventure." Mr. Pickett has a novel and exciting hobby of photographing his vacations, and a most enjoyable evening was enjoyed by the Club.

A report of progress was given on the AGAWAM COMMUNITY BIRTHDAY CALENDAR, which is now being solicited by members.

Arthur Fuchs who has been laid up for the past several weeks is now on the road to good health.

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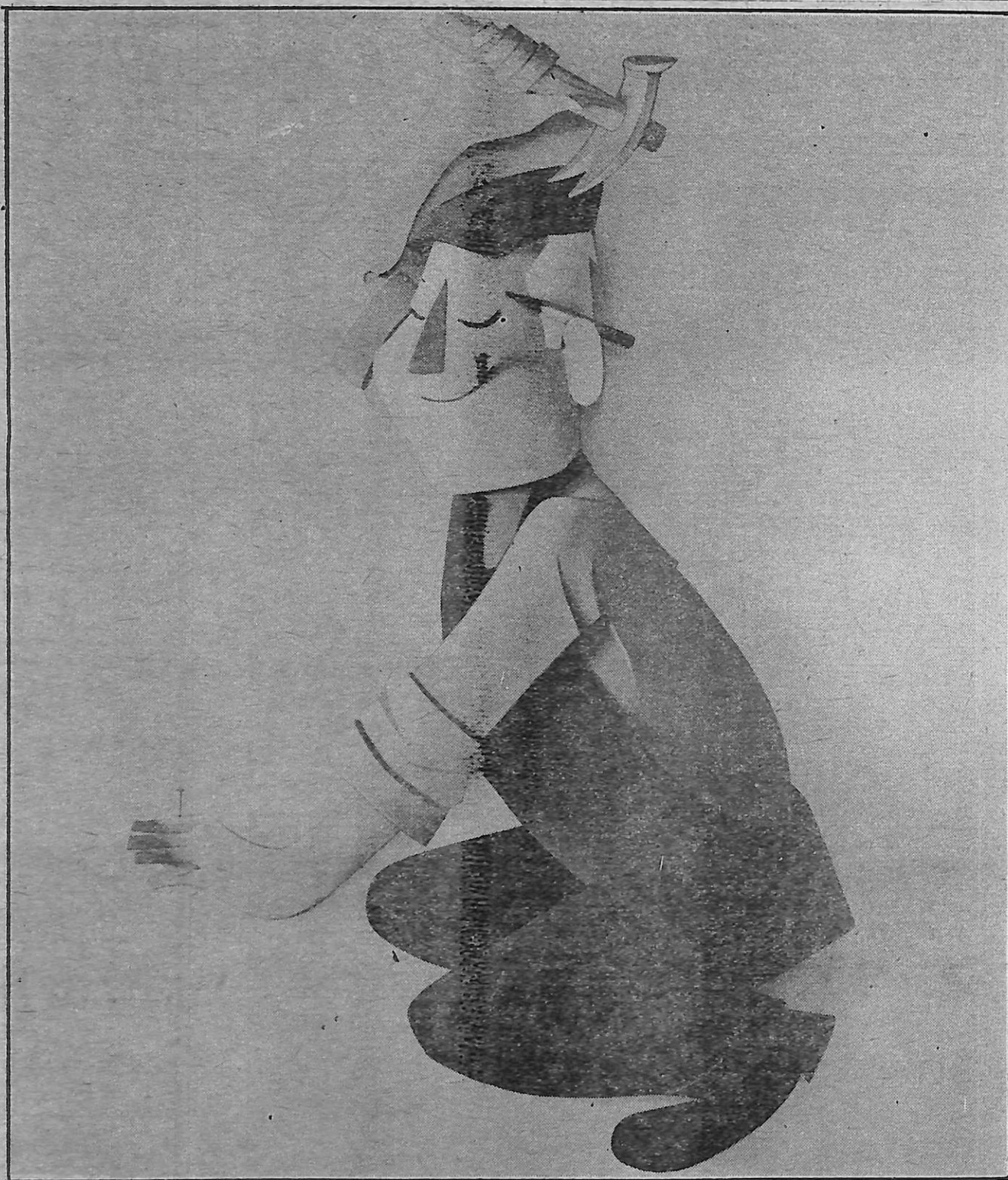
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Said General Eisenhower: "Howard Whitmore, Jr. is exceptionally well qualified to be your United States Senator. His outstanding record in fifteen years of public service in the Massachusetts House, and as mayor of Newton, assures full and able representation. I urge you to elect Howard Whitmore, Jr., your United States Senator on November third."

The Whitmore staff points out that no one in America better knows the full qualifications required of a member of the U. S. Senate than former President Eisenhower, who for eight years inspired American unprecedented prosperity and unbroken peace.

Whitmore, former Massachusetts legislator and former Mayor of Newton and the Director of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, is campaigning to join Senator Saltonstall in the Senate and together initiate work to spur Massachusetts business and save Massachusetts jobs, threatened by defense production shifts and other hazards.

public accountant, Elwynn J. Miller, who resides at 131 Mystic Street in Medford, certainly is unmatched as to qualifications. He holds a B.B.A. degree with honors from Northeastern University, and graduated from Bentley College of Accounting and Finance to prepare for his accounting profession. He has a Bachelor of Laws degree from Boston College School of Law,



ELWYNN J. MILLER

and earned his Master of Laws degree from Boston University, to equip him to practice both law and accounting.

What makes this record more impressive is the fact that all of his higher education was gained through fifteen years of evening classes.

Miller has been an accountant for twenty-three years, and a certified public accountant for eleven years, and has his own law and accounting firm at 10 High Street in Medford.

In addition to attending evening schools, Miller has been active in community, professional, and political affairs. He is the President of the Massachusetts Association of Attorney-Certified Public Accountants, Inc., and has been Vice-Chairman of the Medford Republican City Committee for six years, as well as a candidate for local office and to the General Court.

Miller Not Impressed By Buckley's Strength

Elwynn J. Miller may be the least-envied Republican in Massachusetts this year.

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PROMENADERS

By Al and Elaine Taupier

Friday night proved to be a most successful evening. Bob Leslie, who comes from Keene, N. H. called for the Promenaders and we welcomed many guests. I'm sure all attending will agree that dancing to Bob's calling is an enjoyable and challenging experience.

Joe Gasperini announced that the Promenaders are planning a bus trip for club members only. This will be a Mystery Ride to be held Saturday, Nov. 7. The number is limited, so hurry and sign up. The deadline is Nov. 1 or the bus capacity filled. This sounds like fun and we are looking forward to the evening. Those interested may contact any executive board member for complete details.

From the talk among many of our club members, our Halloween Party costumes are taking shape . . . they sound good and we can expect just about anything. Prizes will be awarded for costumes. Party plans are under the direction of Doug and Adele Cochrane and Howard and Doris Green. Refreshments will be served under the supervision of Dom and Arlene DiCimenti.

Lets all try to be in the real swing of the season with the best costumes seen in years. This will really make the masquerade party. The date to plan for is Friday, Oct. 23. We are giving plenty of warning, so we are expecting the most. Dick Steel will be calling for this dance. Hope to see you dancing in costume!

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My Beat — A.H.S.

By Adella Gagliarducci

COMING EVENTS

The Future Teachers of America will hold their next meeting Oct. 19, in room 4. The topic will be to have a panel discussion about good characteristics of a teacher. Four members of the club will be chosen to be on the panel. The discussion will be open to the whole group to contribute any criticisms or com-

ments.

The members of the personal-ity club have been very busy preparing arrangements for the Sadie Hawkins dance to be held tonight at the Agawam High School cafeteria. General Chair- man for the Sadie are Maureen Doyle and Diane Gallerani; Dec- orations, Jo-Anne Veteramo; Ticket and Publicity, Sandy

Spagnoli; Souvenir, Carolyn Tourville; and Table Decorations, Jean Gallerani. SEE YOU AT THE SADIE !!!

Last Saturday evening a sur-prise birthday party was given in honor of Eddie Nacewicz at the home of Susan Andruss. Un- practical gifts were given some of which were; two goldfish, goldfish food, an indian drum, play dough, bubble bath, a fire-

man outfit, plastic figures, a key chain, a police car and a sweat- shirt. Many thanks would like to be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Andruss for the party.

Congratulations to the football team for another victory for Agawam. Agawam played Tech home and won 20 to 0. Oct. 17 the Agawam team will play against Westfield at home. Good-luck boys !!!



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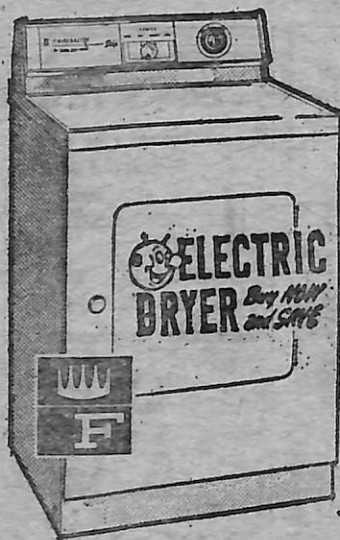
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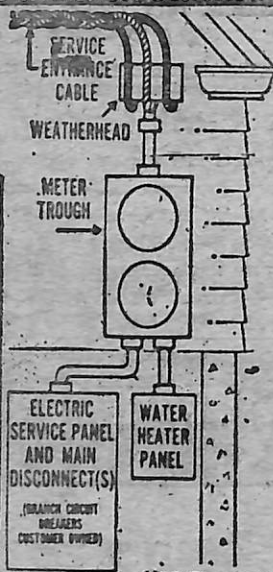
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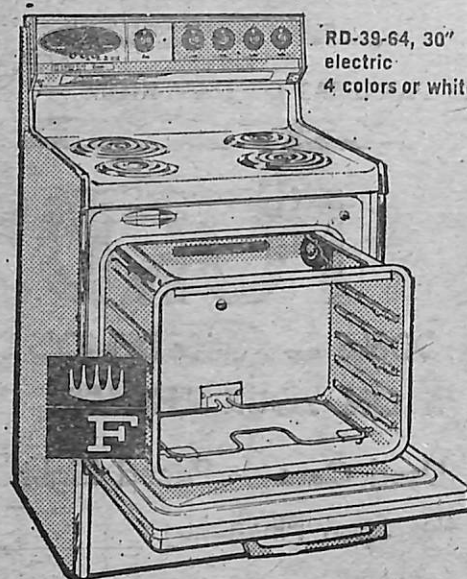


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LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT NEWS

by Virginia Catchepaugh

Smorgasbord

Unit Chairman for the Oct. 24th Smorgasbord is Mrs. Gertrude Sperry. She has announced that a Masquerade party is on the agenda for that evening. Prizes will be awarded for costumes.

Leeds Dance

Rehabilitation Chairman Jane Whalen has reported the need for more hostesses at the monthly dances at Leeds Hospital. Women over 18 years of age are needed for the dances that are held on the fourth Monday of every month. The next dance will be held on Oct. 26th. Volunteers may contact the chairman for more

information.

Christmas Gift Shop

Gifts are still needed for the Christmas Shop for Leeds Hospital. President Jane Whalen or Chairman Julia Moore will call for donations if necessary. Money gifts may be sent to the Treasurer, Gladys Catepaugh, and dollar-value, new unbreakable donations may be left at the Legion Hall. County auxiliaries are aiming for Nov. 16th as the deadline for gifts to be brought to the hospital.

Christmas Bazaar

The Unit will hold a Christmas Bazaar at the Legion Home on Nov. 19, 20 and 21st.

Community Service

On Monday, the 19th a Community Service meeting will be held at the Legion Hall. Chairman Gladys Reed has invited the police safety officer to be guest speaker. The public is invited to this meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry King of Harvey Johnson Drive, Agawam, were given a surprise party last Sunday evening by friends, relatives and neighbors in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. The couple was married October 12th in St. Michael's Cathedral by Rev. John Powers and were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gove of Belfort Drive, Springfield. Sunday their marriage was blessed by Rev. John P. Shannon, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church. Hostess for the party was Mrs. Gove assisted by Mrs. Daniel Manning of Harvey Johnson Drive, Agawam.

Mr. and Mrs. Normand Couture of Nile Ave., Agawam, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Norma Beatrice, born at Providence Hospital on October 6. The newcomer was welcomed by two brothers, Paul and John. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James L. Grimaldi of Florence St., Springfield, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Couture of Edward Ave., Aldenville.

Over 50 children attended the multiple birthday party on Columbus Day for Daniel, Debbie, Donna and Diane Caroleo, children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caroleo of Suffield St., Agawam. An outdoor bar-b-cue of hamburgers and frankfurts were served along with potato chips, soda, ice cream and a large birthday cake. The children enjoyed pony rides and games were played with prizes awarded. Host for the party was David, a brother, and twin sister, Doris and Doreen were hostesses. Children attending were students from South Street School, and children of relatives, friends and neighbors.

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Westfield Savings Bank Reports Increase In Assets

WESTFIELD—Charles A. Godin of West Springfield, president of Adams Nursery, Inc., of Westfield, has been appointed a member of the investment committee of the Westfield Savings Bank, according to an announcement by Henry F. Burrows, chairman of the board. Mr. Godin's appointment took place during the quarterly meeting of the board of trustees at the Sheraton Inn. Mr. Godin succeeds Fred B. Arnold of Southwick, who died on August 31.

During the trustees' meeting, President Arthur W. Knapp told the board that assets of the Westfield Savings Bank on Sep-

tember 30 were a record \$43,381,481, a gain of \$2,773,776 for the past year. "The year has been a very good one for Westfield Savings, and I look for continued good growth during the year ahead," Mr. Knapp said.

Mr. Knapp reported that savings deposits on September 30 totaled \$37,349,995, also an all-time high figure, with an increase for the year of \$2,351,516. He said that for the six months ended September 30 the increase in savings deposits was \$1,467,916.

Real estate loans also recorded good growth, with the mortgage portfolio of Westfield Savings at \$30,260,398. The gain for the year was \$1,810,842.

"The outlook is very optimistic for high levels of activity in savings deposits and home mortgage lending," Mr. Knapp told the trustees. He said it now appears that Westfield Savings Bank will occupy its new building at Elm and Chapel Sts. early in December.

"Construction progress has been very fine, and the good weather has been a help from the very start," he said.

Mr. Godin has been a corporator of Westfield Savings Bank since April, 1952 and has been a member of the board of trustees for three years. He has lived in West Springfield since 1938.



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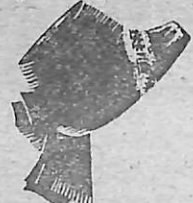
Grand Knight James A. O'Keefe, Sr., of the John F. Kennedy Council, Knights of Columbus and Financial Secretary, William Garten have returned from a seminar for Grand Knights and District Deputies of the K. of C. At the seminar it was stated that there will be changes in the membership rules effective Nov. 1st, in effect membership in the order will be easier to attain.

A conservation of membership committee for the council to aid in gaining and preserving membership has been appointed by Grand Knight O'Keefe, consisting of Chairman: Frederick J. Smith, William A. Garten, Jr., Richard Trueba, Peter Bertera and M. James Gormally.

Any male over 18 interested in the council may obtain more information from the above committee or any officer of the council.

There will be no meeting today due to the exemplification of the second degree which will take place on Oct. 22d, at the Sacred Heart Hall, Williams St., Agawam.

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